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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re National Phase PCT Application of

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For: Method for enriching and stabilising components  
which contain DNA and which are made of  
biological materials

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Prior to examination of the above-identified application please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.